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# <u>Section DSM - 9</u> <u>ENERGY STAR\* Appliances Program</u>

#### <u>Purpose</u>

The ENERGY STAR\* Appliances Program offers an incentive (rebate) for reducing the energy consumed by household appliances. The end-use cooperative member ("end-use member") may qualify for this incentive by purchasing an ENERGY STAR\* qualifying appliance type listed in this tariff.

#### **Availability**

This program is available in all service territories of the owner-member cooperatives ("owner-members") of EKPC.

#### **Eligibility**

This program is targeted to new single or multi-family homes, existing single or multi-family homes or manufactured homes purchasing ENERGY STAR\* appliances. Eligibility requirements are detailed below and are available at each participating owner-member's office and on the owner-member's website.

- Product must be certified by EPA as an ENERGY STAR® Appliance. Eligible models can be found on www.ENERGYSTAR.GOV.
- Product must be purchased after November 3, 2014.
- Rebate application must be completed and original receipt or copy must be provided for verification.
- Receipt must include the following information:
  - o Retailer's Name
  - Itemized listing of product(s), including description(s), manufacturer(s), model number(s) or other identifying information. The receipt information must match the product information from the rebate application.
  - Purchase price and proof that full payment was made
  - Purchase date and date of delivery or installment (if installed by a contractor)
  - o For new construction, an owner-member energy advisor ("energy advisor") may enter the rebate application on behalf of the end-use member. For an application entered by the energy advisor, the application must be accompanied by a picture of the appliance model number and serial number. Rebate applications for new constructions, without a receipt, will only be accepted through an energy advisor.

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#### Refrigerators & Freezers

- Refrigerators must be greater than 7.75 cubic feet in capacity.
- End-use members may apply for one ENERGY STAR® certified refrigerator and one ENERGY STAR® certified freezer rebate per calendar year per member metered account. A maximum of two rebates within this appliance category (Refrigerators and Freezers) will be allowed per metered account.

### Dishwashers

• End-use members may apply for one ENERGY STAR® certified dishwasher rebate per premise/location calendar year. A maximum of two rebates within this appliance category (Dishwashers) will be allowed per premise/location.

#### **Clothes Washers**

• End-use members may apply for one ENERGY STAR® certified clothes washer rebate per calendar year per metered account. A maximum of two rebates within this appliance category (Clothes Washers) will be allowed per metered account.

#### **Heat Pump Water Heaters**

• End-use members may apply for two ENERGY STAR® certified heat pump water heater rebates per calendar year per premise/location. A maximum of four rebates within this appliance category (Heat Pump Water Heaters) will be allowed per premise/location.

### Air Conditioners and Heat Pumps

- Rebate application must be completed, signed and returned with an original or copy of the receipt and the AHRI certificate obtained from the HVAC installer.
  - AHRI certificate must list model numbers for the condenser unit (outside unit) and evaporator coil (indoor unit).
- End-use members may apply for up to three ENERGY STAR® certified heat pump or air conditioner rebates per calendar year per premise/location. A maximum of six (6) rebates within this appliance category (Air Conditioners and Heat Pumps) will be allowed per premise/location.

## Landlord/Tenant Relationships:

Notwithstanding the forgoing, a landlord who rents to a tenant who is an end-use member of an EKPC owner-member shall also be eligible to participate in the ESAP program regardless of whether said landlord is also an end-use member of an EKPC owner-member. A landlord may be eligible for the same number of incentives per calendar year as a metered tenant end-use member.

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#### **Payments**

Residential end-use members will receive an incentive from their owner-member for installing ENERGY STAR® certified appliances, while owner-members will receive a transfer payment from EKPC to cover the rebate to end-use members and any lost revenue as a result of implementing the program:

Appliance	Rebate to End-Use Member	EKPC Payment to Owner-Member
Refrigerator	\$100	\$115.00
Freezer	\$50	\$60.00
Dishwasher	\$50	\$60.00
Clothes Washer	\$75	\$130.00
Heat Pump Water Heater	\$300	\$685.00
Air Source Heat Pump	\$300	\$675.00
Air Conditioner (Central)	\$300	\$400.00

## <u>Term</u>

The program is an ongoing program.

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